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SUBJECT: RHODESIA SAYS GUERRILLAS USE FRELIMO BASES

1. RHODESIAN SECURITY OFFICIALS HAVE CHARGED THAT GUERRILLAS ARE USING FRELIMO MOZAMBIQUE BASES TO INFILTRATE NORTHEAST BORDER AREA. AT NEWS BRIEFING REPORTED BX ARGUS NOV 28, OFFICIALS SAID THERE WAS NO RPT NO "ESCALATION" OF WAR SINCE FRELIMO CAME TO POWER.

2. ARMY OFFICER AT BRIEFING SAID TROOP MORALE "VERY, VERY HIGH" BECAUSE OF "KILL RATE" SECURITY FORCES MAINTAINING AGAINST INSURGENTS. OFFICER DISCOUNTED ZANU CLAIMS OF SUCCESS IN AREA AND SAID ONLY 350 TO 400 "BADLY TRAINED AND RELATIVELY INEFFECTIVE" GUERRILLAS WERE OPERATING IN AREA. SECURITY FORCES CLAIM KILLING 478 GUERRILLAS IN RHODESIA SINCE DECEMBER 1972.

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